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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicat	on of:)
Joost Dick de Bruijn, Sandra Claudia da Silva Madureira Mendes, Clemens Antoni van Blitterswijk) Examiner:) Jennifer A. Dunston)
Serial No.:	10/730,770) Art Unit: 1636
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Title: ASSAY FOR PREDICTING CELL ACTIVITY)

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.121

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated May 28, 2004.

Applicants are submitting herewith amendments to the claims in revised format as set forth in 37

CFR §1.121. Kindly reconsider the application in view of the following amendments.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the claim listing, which begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application, we are transmitting herewith the attached:

- 1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.121,
- 2. Copy of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, and
- 3. Return postcard.

With respect to fees, no fee is due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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